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16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
17 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

18 RALPH D. WILDER,

19 Plaintiff(s),

20 vs.

21 ROBERT J. DORIS, et al.,

22 Defendant(s).

23 Case No. C-07-1500 MEJ

24 **REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO**
A UNITED STATES DISTRICT
JUDGE FOR TRIAL AND
DISPOSITION

25 ANDREW WALTER,

26 Plaintiff(s),

27 vs.

28 ROBERT J. DORIS, et al.,

Defendant(s).

29 Case No. C-07-2344 MEJ

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37 REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR TRIAL AND
38 DISPOSITION
39 CASE NOS. C-07-1500 MEJ; C-07-2344 MEJ

The undersigned party hereby declines to consent to the assignment of these cases to a United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of these cases to a United States District Judge.

In accordance with the Court's Order dated May 11, 2007 (Docket Nos. 6 and 13),
defendants file this declination no later than June 1, 2007 regarding both the *Wilder v.*
Doris et al., Case No. C-07-1500 MEJ and *Walter v. Doris et al.*, Case No. C-07-2344
MEJ cases that the Court ordered on May 10, 2007 as related.¹

DATED: May 30, 2007

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²³ ¹ Defendants assume that the Court’s May 11, 2007 Order requesting that the parties in both the
Wilder and Walter actions inform the Court of their consent or declination by June 1, 2007,
supersedes the Court’s May 3, 2007 Order requesting that Plaintiff Ralph Wilder and defendants
inform the Court of their consent or declination by May 8, 2007. Even so, defendant Sonic
Solutions respectfully apologizes for not informing the Court of its declination decision
regarding the Wilder action prior to May 8, 2007. Defendant was unaware of this notice deadline
since defendant received neither electronic filing notifications of any of the Court’s Orders prior
to the May 11, 2007 Order nor electronic filing notifications or service by mail of plaintiff’s May
9, 2007 filed consent.

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